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Cc: jeremychipps@gmail.com Subject: no to CAPX2020 please

To: Stephanie A. Strength

Environmental Protection Specialist/RD

Dear Ms Strength,

I am hoping you will be willing to refuse to allow the CAPX2020 project to get taxpayer-funded money in order to move forward.

This project is just a dinosaur waiting to inflict as much damage as it can in its waning days, to support

an energy solution that is headed in an obsolete direction.

While the 'need' for this huge outlay of money, in order to build enormous new transmission systems,

has not been proven, what HAS been proven is that it will harm our beautiful land and

wildlife even more.

And it is also a guarantee that those moneys, if used for this project, will not be used

instead on new alternative sources of renewable energy, and energy conservation.

It would just be so great if someone exercised some common sense and said 'NO', this is not a good

use of anyone's enormous amounts of money.

I am hoping your organization will say NO. Thank you very much.

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(right next to that beautiful Mississippi river, and just down the road from Dairyland Power)

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Your comment has been noted. Alternatives to the project will be addressed in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement. The Draft Environmental Impact Statement will be available on the RUS website at: http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/ees/eis.htm. Comments on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement will be solicited after its publication.

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